

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SELECTMEN OF LITTLETON.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1857.

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Expenses Ordered Paid.

Outstanding Orders, March 1st, 1856,	\$ 488 63
Summer and Winter Schools,	1286 95
Rev. F. R. Newell, for printing School Report,	14 00
Dr. E. S. Durgin, Superintending Schools,	41 25
Repairs on School-houses,	25 60
B. Edwards, Bill against Poor Establishment,	206 83
Cummings Hale, balance of Salary,	241 01
Dr. E. S. Durgin, Medical Attendance at Alms House,	11 25
C. H. Peirce, two Cows,	92 00
Jona. Hartwell, one Heifer,	34 15
Luther White, one Cow,	38 00
N. B. Robbins, Coffin and Sexton's Services, for J. B. Proctor, Abigail Parker and Ann R. Chaffin,	26 62
N. B. Robbins, Coffin and Sexton's Services for Mrs. S. Munroe,	8 37
Wood for S. Munroe,	7 50
Mrs. Mary Battles, for Services at S. Munroe's,	35 00
“ “ for Support of S. Munroe,	42 00
Benj. Edmonds, Store goods for S. Munroe,	4 24
Clothing for S. Munroe,	3 04
Cash paid Mrs. Farwell, of Marlboro'	10 00
Luther White, Journey to Groton, and Cash paid for Ann Graves,	4 50
Cash paid Mrs. Pushee,	12 00
Dr. E. S. Durgin, Medical Attendance on Mrs. Reed,	6 00
Wood for Asa Parker,	8 00
County Commissioners' Bill for Laying out Road, on Petition of Devens and Harwood,	57 35
Jesse Kimball, land damages,	150 00
F. P. Knowton, land damages,	150 00
Jesse Kimball, Meeting Commissioners, &c.,	9 00
J. A. Priest, for surveying road and journey to Concord Extra Highway work,	32 17
Breaking out roads, 1856,	63 55
“ “ 1857,	236 54
Mrs. Laws for injury received by upsetting on highway,	200 00
James Kimball, jr., for damages by upsetting,	2 00
Printing report of Selectmen, for 1856,	5 00
Wm. Chamberlin for discount on Taxes,	185 68
Abatement of taxes,	58 29
Jesse Kimball, moving wall at burying-ground,	12 75
Grave stones for John Pushee,	25 00
J. D. Warren, for services as Auctioneer,	2 75
Levi Conant, for ringing bell,	29 00
Wm. Kimball, for use of hall,	20 00
“ “ for postage and stationery,	1 73
Printing posters and order blanks,	3 25
S. W. Willis, laying wall at burying-ground,	8 30
Interest,	90 00
Notes paid,	725 00
N. B. Robbins, returns of deaths,	1 80
Benj. Edwards, services as Town Clerk,	22 70
Luther White, for warning Town Meetings,	5 00
J. A. Priest, surveying and labor at burying-ground,	3 50
Luther White, labor at burying-ground and journey to Tewksbury and Acton, and cash paid at Acton,	7 75
J. A. Priest, L. White, and C. H. Peirce, for services as Assessors,	30 00
J. A. Priest, L. White, and C. H. Pierce, for services as Selectmen and Overseers of Poor,	66 00
Wm. Chamberlin, for collecting taxes,	17 00
John Goldsmith, teaming stone for burying-ground,	1 50
Wm. Kimball, for entertainment of Selectmen,	14 50
Woodshed for North School,	51 00
Daniel Bolles, abatement of taxes and collecting,	23 65
Amount of Town Orders,	\$4961 70
County Tax,	480 52
State Tax,	492 00
Total,	\$5934 22
Amount in Treasury less than Outstanding Orders,	380 47
	\$5553 75

Resources.

In Treasurer's hands, 1852,	\$ 23 65
“ “ 1855,	614 73
Committed to Wm. Chamberlin for Collection,	4205 62
School money from State,	37 00
Received from sale of Munroe Place,	155 00
Balance from Pushee Place	100 00
Borrowed money,	400 00
State Pauper money,	15 00
Grass sold at Pushee Place,	2 75
Total,	\$5553 75

Demands against the Town.

Jesse Kimball's Note,	400 00
James Kimball's “	100 00
Samuel Whitcomb's Note,	100 00
John R. Whitcomb's “	100 00
Outstanding Orders,	1141 72
Total,	\$1841 72

ASSETS.

In Treasurer and Collector's hands,	\$736 70
In hands of Agent for sales of Liquors,	60 00
Interest due from A. Whicomb,	7 25
	803 95
Balance against the Town,	\$1037 77
JOSEPH A. PRIEST, } Selectmen LUTHER WHITE, } of CHARLES H. PEIRCE. } Littleton.	

Expenses of Pauper Establishment.

C. Hale's Salary,	298 96
Benj. Edward's Bill,	206 83
Stock Bought,	164 15
Articles Bought, and labor not included above,	516 67
	\$1446 51

RECEIPTS.

Articles sold,	592 14
Increase of Stock and Provision,	301 42—893 50
Balance against the Establishment,	552 95
No. of weeks of all paupers supported, 327.	
Average expense per week, \$1 69.	
Present number of paupers, 4.	
All of which is respectfully submitted.	

JOSEPH A. PRIEST, } Overseers
LUTHER WHITE, } of
CHARLES H. PIERCE. } Poor.

The Committee appointed to audit the Selectmen and Treasurer's account for the past year, have attended to the services assigned them, and report. They find said accounts correctly kept, accurately cast, and properly vouched. All of which is respectfully submitted.

JESSE KIMBALL,
BARNABAS DODGE,
WILLIAM KIMBALL.